



Weekly Newsletter

Summer Term 2

Friday, 6th June 2025



A Message from our Headteacher

Dear Parents,
What a lovely first week we have had at Grange. It has been fantastic to see you all after the half term and welcome back the children.

PE Kits

Please remember that our PE kit must be brought to school each week for PE lessons. The kit must contain a plain white t-shirt. Blue or black plain bottoms or shorts and be clearly labelled with your child's name. Failure to have the correct PE kit – including a swimsuit (year 6 only) will result in a PE detention.

Sports Day

We are hoping the weather forecast improves and that all planned sports days will go ahead. Should there be a cancellation we will make the decision by 9am on the day of the event and send out a parent text to all impacted.

EYFS – Tuesday 17th June – At school

Yr 1,2, and 3 –Monday 23rd June – Burgess Park

Yr 4,5, and 6 –Friday 20th June – Burgess Park

Please ensure your child is dressed in their PE kit on the morning of their sports day and they are wearing the appropriate shoes. Classes in years 1 – 6 will leave school promptly on their designated day and are expected to arrive at Burgess Park (Copeland Road caged areas) for a 10.00/10.15am start. We anticipate sports day to last for approximately an hour and a half to ensure everyone is back at school by midday. Our Early Years team will send out a separate letter detailing timings for the early years sports day.

Ice Cream Fridays

Our ice cream Fridays will continue each week this term starting from **Friday 13th June**, please ensure you have the correct change with you to make the queuing quicker! Ice creams and ice lollies will be sold for £1 and 50p and any profit made will be used towards resources for the children.

Instagram

Remember we are on Instagram. Please like and follow us to see what goes on each week. We love sharing our experiences with you! Classes upload images weekly to showcase our amazing learning journey.



Online Safety Tip of the Week

How to talk to your child about 'Fake News':
Young people in the UK increasingly rely on online sources, such as social media, for news. According to an Ofcom report, the Internet is rapidly becoming the primary platform for news consumption among 16-24 year olds. So that parents and carers can help their children understand about the reliability of news sources and improve their digital literacy, Internet Matters and the BBC have created some tools and resources, including videos and quizzes you can do with your child:

<https://www.internetmatters.org/resources/tackling-fake-news/misinformation-advice-for-parents/>

Assessment week and statutory assessments

Next week will be assessment week. Year 4 will be sitting their multiplication check, Year 1 their Phonics Screening check and Year 2 the KS1 SATs tests. For the rest of the children, apart from Year 6, tests will be sat for reading, writing and mathematics which will support teacher assessment for their final academic judgement of the year.

Office Closure

As you are aware this is a very busy time for school. The office is particularly busy with administration tasks for the next academic year. Due to this we will be closing the office on a Thursday between 10 – 2.30pm to ensure all relevant paperwork is finalised for the next academic year. If you have an urgent query, please call or email the office only during this time. Thanks in advance for your support.

Eid al – Adha

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all of our Muslim community a very happy Eid al – Adha. I hope you have a lovely celebration and look forward to hearing all about the festivities from the children on Monday.



I hope you have an enjoyable weekend, and we will see you all on **Monday 9th June** at 8.50am.

Rebecca



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School Information

Attendance & Punctuality

Summer Term Attendance



School year: Spring Term	Class	%
Attendance KS1 Winner	Planet Earth	97.3
Attendance KS2 Winner	Neptune	98.5
KS1 Punctuality Winner	Mercury	97.2
KS2 Punctuality Winner	Aurora	98.1
Rest of School		
Class	Punctuality %	Attendance%
Moon	98.2	96.4
Star	90.0	100
Venus	96.4	95.9
Mercury	97.2	92.2
Earth	95.8	97.3
Jupiter	95.0	95.5
Saturn	97.5	96.0
Galaxy	97.9	91.3
Neptune	97.4	98.5
Pluto	93.9	98.2
Aurora	98.1	91.2
Sky	97.9	92.9
Weekly attendance:		95%

Dates for the Diary

Important
DATE!

WB 09/06/25	KS1 SATs Year 1 phonics test Year 4 multiplication test
16/06/25	Refugee awareness week
16/06/25	National Sports week
17/06/25	EYFS Sports Day
20/06/25	Yr 4,5 + 6 Sports Day
23/06/25	Windrush Day
23/06/25	Yr 1,2 + 3 Sports Day
30/06/25	Poetry Week
02/07/25	Year 6 transition day at secondary school
02/07/25	New Reception starter Stay and Play session
03/07/25	Reception to Year 1 transition meeting for parents
04/07/25	House winners trip
07/07/25	Art week
11/07/25	Grange Carnival and Summer Fair

Attendance Ladder

How close is your child to 100%?

0 days off school	100%	Perfection
Equates to 2 days off school each year	99%	Excellent
Equates to 5 days off school each year	97%	Good
Equates to 10 days off school each year	95%	Slight Concern
Equates to 20 days off school each year	90%	Concerned
Equates to 30 days off school each year	85%	Very Concerned



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Word of the Week

The word of the week this week is "strewn". Please spend some time discussing this word with your child.

Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

strewn

Word Class
(adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables

(strewn)

Definition:

If a place is strewn with things, they are lying scattered there.



The books were **strewn** across the classroom.

Synonym:

messy
piled

Antonym:

organised

Prefix / Suffix:

Rhyme:

soon
moon

Link Word:

lay
randomly

Value of the Week

The value of the week this week was "resilience". Please take some time over the weekend to discuss this value with your children.

"The greatest glory in living lies not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall".
(Unknown)



Happy Birthday to You!

First Name	Class	Age
Ibrahim	Planet Earth	7
Maximillian	Saturn	8
Grace	Venus	6
Amadou	Neptune	10
Kai	Jupiter	8
Jake	Planet Earth	7
Younus	Sky	11
Aaliyah	Sky	11
Emmanuel	Galaxy	9
Mica	Galaxy	9
Scarlett	Galaxy	9



Makaton Word of the Week

Along with our word of the week, our children will now be learning some sign language. We have many pupils at Grange that are non-verbal and one of the ways in which we communicate with them is to use sign language. We want all our children to be able to communicate with each other so felt that teaching our children to sign would help this. Please help us to learn together by practising this with your child at home.

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Mathletics



Winning Class: **Jupiter Class**
School's total points: **25,310**



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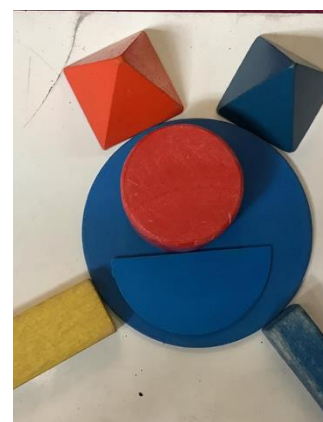
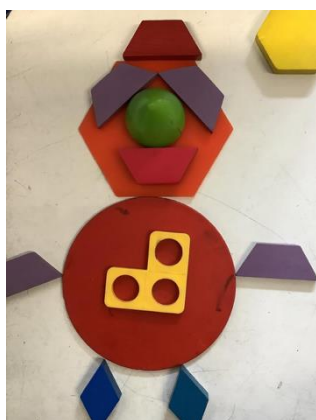
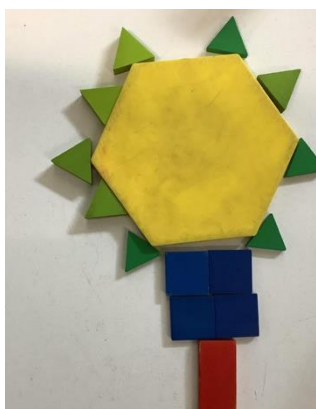
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Class Gallery

Year EYFS – Star and Moon Class

The children in Star and Moon class have loved making pictures using shapes this week!



Year 6 –Aroura and Sky Class

Year 6 had a fantastic day at Chessington this week celebrating their last academic year at Grange.





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Rewards

Years EYFS, 1 & 2

Core Value: **Resilience**
Year 1 and Year 2

Class:	VIP of the week	Reason for Award:
VENUS	Khadijah	For always trying her hardest and never giving up.
MERCURY	Amelia	For trying so hard with her writing.
PLANET EARTH	Darcie	For showing resilience in our P.E. lessons this week
Class	Writer of the week:	Reason:
VENUS	Grace	For writing an amazing setting description using lots of adjectives.
MERCURY	Luciana	For her beautiful setting description
PLANET EARTH	Karim	For impressive and interesting expanded noun phrases
Class	Mathematician of the week:	Reason:
VENUS	Nicholas	For his understanding of fractions when working with halves and quarters.
MERCURY	Layla	For her fabulous fractions reasoning
PLANET EARTH	Henry	For excellent effort and expertise in the start to our time topic
Class:	Reader of the week:	Reason for Award
VENUS	Bambi	For her impressive reading with expression and recognising punctuation
MERCURY	Kris	For his fabulous progress with his reading
PLANET EARTH	Ibrahim	For amazing effort in his reading this week



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Rewards

Years 3 to 6

Core Value: **Resilience**
Years 3 to 6

Class:	VIP of the week	Reason for Award:
JUPITER	Ubaydah	For always having a go at trying something new.
SATURN	Sherlyn	For always remaining positive and trying her best in class!
GALAXY	Isabelle	Rising to challenges and trying her best!
PLUTO	Anes	For always striving to improve and do his best.
NEPTUNE	Kabir	For trying his best when learning new things
AURORA	Eissa	For making a great start to life at Grange!
SKY	Kiera	For always trying her best and never giving up.
Class	Writer of the week	Reason
JUPITER	Kai	For his amazing effort in his writing and sentence building this week.
SATURN	Issam	For a good use of similes this week!
GALAXY	Muhammed	For outstanding effort, creativity and imagination in his writing this week!
PLUTO	Ololade	For writing great character descriptions.
NEPTUNE	Jhulian	For making great predictions about our new class text
AURORA	Celina	For her excellent earthquake research
SKY	Anas	For excellent effort explaining his ideas in Science and RE.
Class	Mathematician of the week:	Reason
JUPITER	Amir	For his brilliant effort and work on time.
SATURN	Princess	For good effort working with units of time.
GALAXY	Emmanuel	For a great attitude in maths this week!
PLUTO	Toddreic	For great work with angles.
NEPTUNE	Kandji	For great work estimating the size of angles
AURORA	Elias	For his enthusiasm for math
SKY	Rafael	For using mathematical knowledge to calculate the answers to questions.
Class:	Reader of the week:	Reason
JUPITER	Woomy	For his improvement in reading.
SATURN	Rubie	For excellent reading aloud in our sessions!
GALAXY	George	For good focus and enthusiasm when exploring texts in guided reading!
PLUTO	Ibrahim	For making great connections between our class texts.
NEPTUNE	Angel	For reading out loud with excellent expression this week!
AURORA	Ammar	For reading with greater confidence
SKY	Denis	For trying his best to use expression when reading aloud.



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Parent/ Carer Information and Support



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Dear Families

New Provider for After School Club provision 3.30pm to 6pm

As you know, Grange Primary School will no longer continue with the After-School Club service (3.30pm to 6pm) at the end of this term. We are pleased to announce **ClubsComplete** will be running the service at the school from 2nd September 2025. The provision will be run solely by them and does not form part of any provision by the school.

ClubsComplete are a well-established extra-curricular service provider operating around the UK. They will be offering three after school options each term time day as well as summer camps at different locations. Please see attached a letter from **ClubsComplete** detailing their provision and what you need to do to register and book and pay for your child's attendance. They are ready to take your bookings now.

Please note all bookings and payments made with **ClubsComplete** will be managed by them and not the school, you should raise any queries you may have about the service directly with the **ClubsComplete** team. Their contact details can be found on the attached letter.

Our new provider looks forward to welcoming you to their service in the new academic year.

Best wishes

Rebecca Benjamins
Headteacher



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**JOIN US FOR AFTER SCHOOL CLUB HERE
AT GRANGE PRIMARY SCHOOL**



**Join us from
Tuesday 2nd September**

**Monday : MadLabs
Tuesday : Fun & Games
Wednesday : Multi Sports
Thursday : Master Chef
Friday : Lego**



Menu includes...

**Pasta with Tomato Sauce
Jacket potato cheese & beans
Tuna Mayo & Sweetcorn wraps
Scrambled egg & toast**

Price

**Activity Club - £7.80
Explore Club - £8.95
After school care package - £16**

Full Menu on our website!

Book now at www.clubscomplete.co.uk 01530 412 750



Dear Parent/Carer,

We are thrilled to announce that we are the new extra-curricular service provider for Grange Primary School. We provide excellent extracurricular services in many primary schools throughout the UK and have an enthusiastic team of staff that are trained in safeguarding and prevent duty and we always have a paediatric first aider on site.

We are an Activity Provider as well as wraparound provider so we always provide a structured one hour adult-led activity during the Activity Club (first hour after school) that children are welcome to join - even if it is just for this session! Therefore, check out our activity programme and feel free to allow your child to attend our enriching activities even if you do not require the childcare! Our leaflet with themes will be attached to this letter, posted in the Facebook group and our themes can also be found online.

For parents wishing to pay with childcare vouchers:

As the clubs are Ofsted registered, we will be able to accept tax free childcare, vouchers and student grant payments. However, your child's school has recently booked this service therefore the registration has recently been submitted and the Ofsted registration number for the premises is not yet live - we will let you know when we receive this from Ofsted. If you wish to book in the interim, you are able to book and pay for your sessions. If you wish to pay with vouchers in future, we will refund the payments for existing bookings upon receipt of the Ofsted registration number. Alternatively, you are welcome to wait until the Ofsted registration number arrives. However, spaces may not be available as all of our clubs fill very quickly.

For parents wishing to pay with debit or credit card:

Bookings are now live for the year - you are able to book and reserve your space for as many sessions as you please. Note that sessions are payable at the time of booking therefore please only book what you are able to make payment for.

All services have limited spaces available and are payable upfront by parents via our website. Ad-hoc bookings are welcomed and you can book up to 3 hours before the club taking place should there be a space available on the club that day.

The sessions will commence on 02/09/2025 and will run until 15/07/2026 initially with a view of continuing if attendance is as expected.

For parents wishing to subscribe to use the service every day for reliable childcare and pay the same amount monthly via direct debit at a discounted price:

Click [here](#) to see our Membership Brochure and e-mail creditcontrol@clubscomplete.co.uk if you feel this may be of interest. Please note that our memberships are not suitable for parents paying with childcare vouchers, tax free childcare, student grant, universal credit or HAF funding.

After school club: 3.30pm-4.30pm £7.80

During the Activity club, children can choose to take part in an assigned adult-led activity for that day - themes for each day will change every term, see attached the leaflet for Autumn Term. During after-school clubs with more than 10 children, we also have alternative activities on offer for those children who do not want to choose the structured activities on offer.

Explore club: 4.30pm-5.30pm £8.95 (including food and drink)

Children will first enjoy a nutritious meal, which will vary each day, click [here](#) to see our menu. After children have enjoyed their meal, they will have the choice to participate in the adult-led activity of the day or to enjoy independent play by taking advantage of the stations set up in clubs; construction corner, quiet corner, craft corner etc.

Care package 3.30-6pm £16 (including food and drink)

This package includes both Activity and Explore and club up to 6pm. After the Explore session, the remaining time is a child-led free play session whereby homework can be worked on, children can read, play games or take part in other activities such as crafts and lego.

Facebook: Please click below to join our private Facebook group for your school:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1390991532102299>

This is where we post reminders of events, polls for new themes and menu options, and pictures of what the children have been up to. This is also a great place to ask any questions you may have about the clubs and to chat to other parents using our services!

Our terms:

- Once you have made a booking you can amend or cancel this booking within 24 hours at which point a credit for the session will be automatically made to your account. Outside the 24 hours, it is not possible to receive a refund.
- Time limits for bookings: You are able to book any clubs of your choice up to three hours before the club commences. At the cut-off point of three hours before any club starts, the website will automatically prohibit you from booking the club so that we can cater for the amount of children in the club - if it is an emergency, and you require the childcare, you may call the office to see if there are remaining spaces available but a £5 administration fee will be charged for your booking for our staff member to make the last-minute booking for you as it is quite a lengthy process to log in and override the system.

- Your account - if you do not make the bookings via your online account and prefer to call our office, we are able to take the booking, but all transactions are subject to a £5 administration charge.
- If you have a change in circumstances or your child is poorly, we ask that you log into your account and cancel their space, so our staff know not to expect them - this is part of our safeguarding policy to ensure we know the whereabouts of your child. Unfortunately, you will not receive a credit or refund in this circumstance as we have to allocate staff, purchase food and equipment ahead of the day arriving, so our costs have already been made.

Please note that from a safeguarding perspective, we are not covered to accept children who have not been booked onto a session. Therefore, please book your child/ren on online, in advance. If your child arrives at a session when no one else is on school site, we will accept them - however, you will be charged an additional £5 admin fee for our office team to invoice you. If the school reception is still open and your child is not on the register, we will ask them to call you to collect.

All ClubsComplete staff members are DBS checked, qualified and experienced working with children and have undertaken safeguarding children training.

To book, please click below:

<https://myclub.clubscomplete.co.uk/settings/grange-primary-school>

Setting mobile number - 01530412750. Please use this number if you need to contact staff during club time.

We are running a variety of summer camps across the UK, please visit our website to search for a club near you.

Please note our offices are open Monday to Friday 9am-4pm if you would like to give us a call regarding our services. To contact our staff on site after these hours when your child is in the club, please call the setting phone.

Kind regards,
Zoe Higgins

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SUNSET SHOW

Saturday 21st June, 19:30

outside 18 Willow Walk, Bermondsey SE1 5SU

Torsten Krebs – Flutes (unaccompanied) will present a recital of flute music from around the world and across the ages as part of Make Music Day UK 2025.

Feel free to bring a bottle and / or a plate of food to share after the performance.



PROGRAMME:

FREE!

Adolphus Hailstork (Afro-American)	The Pied piper of Harlem	Here come de Piper, ...Wid a Twinkle in his Eye, Git on Board Li'l Chillun
Anton Stamitz (Germany)	Capriccio-Sonata A Major	Allegro moderato, Andante amoroso, Rondeau allegretto giocoso
Hong-Da Chin (China)	Mimosa (piccolo)	Freely, Steadily, Cheerfully, Passionately, Freely
Severio Mercadante (Italy)	Capriccio No 7 e minor	Largo espressivo
Dindy Vaughan (Australian Aboriginal)	Storm of Wind and Thanksgiving after the Storm	
Friedgrund Götsche-Niessner (Germany)	Walpurgis (alto flute)	Eight sections without names
Alfredo Portela (Cuba)	Fantasia Sobre "Son de la Loma"	



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We are inviting you to an exclusive

FREE TASTER SESSION!

Limited Spaces



Section Break (Continuous)

- **Tuesday 2nd September**
- **Join us for Fun & Games**

1 space free per child to attend 1 club.

Column Break



Email to book now!

Admin@clubscomplete.co.uk

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